

SELF REPORT HEALTH ASSESSMENT SURVEY

NOTE: The Independent Living Philosophy is based on the idea that the individual is the best source of information about their situation, rather than relying solely on doctor or other medical reports. You can help us by completing the following survey. This will help us understand your particular situation.

NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY, ZIP: _____
BIRTH DAY: ____/____/____

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Please check or circle the disability (disabilities) and/or health issues you experience.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Sclerosis                                                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Lou Gehrig's Disease (ALS)    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Problems with eyes, ears, throat                                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness, fainting, blackout |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persistent bronchitis, asthma, emphysema                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke, paralysis, seizures   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tumors, leukemia, or cancer                                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies, skin problems      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes, thyroid, pituitary, glands                                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss or paralysis of limb     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mental illness or nervous disorder                                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol or drug abuse         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Problems with reading, writing, math, or speech                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Muscular Dystrophy            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis, back pain, or problems with spine and joints                        |                                                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure, chest pain, heart attack, or other heart problems         |                                                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ulcer, hernia, colitis, intestinal bleeding or other internal/stomach problems |                                                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Problems with kidney, bladder, prostate, reproductive organs                   |                                                        |

☐ Please describe any other disability, diagnosis, or health issue you would like us to know about:

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PLEASE CHECK OR CIRCLE THE ACTIVITIES OR FUNCTIONAL LIMITATIONS YOU EXPERIENCE THAT INTERFERE WITH LIVING MORE INDEPENDENTLY.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Walking, standing, sitting                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Lifting or carrying things          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Climbing or balancing                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Stooping, bending, or kneeling      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reaching, handling, or fingering objects    | <input type="checkbox"/> Talking or hearing                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Problems working an 8 hour day              | <input type="checkbox"/> Working outside                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Being in cold, heat, or temperature changes | <input type="checkbox"/> Being in wet, humid places          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Being around noise or vibration             | <input type="checkbox"/> Reading, writing, doing math        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Catching on to things, learning new tasks   | <input type="checkbox"/> Doing tasks which change often      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Getting along with others                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Making decisions                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Being around dust, fumes, odors, or gasses  | <input type="checkbox"/> Keeping self control under pressure |

PLEASE ADD ANY OTHER COMMENTS OR DESCRIBE OTHE BARRIERS YOU EXPERIENCE IN TRYING TO BE INDEPENDENT:

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**Please return this Health Survey with IL Service Application form to:**

Alice Kehr  
Iowa Vocational Rehabilitation Services  
217 W 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
Spencer, Iowa 51301